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CHICAGO ORCHESTRA

The Symphony Orchestra in its
 Ninth Year.

HAS SIXTY-FIVE PERFORMERS

Will Make Its Third Tour of the Pacific Coast This Season Including Seattle and Portland—An Oratorio Quartet Will Accompany Orchestra

The Chicago Symphony Orchestra was organized by Chas. Beach in 1899. Adolph Rosenbecker was chosen conductor. Sixty concerts were given the first season, the Orchestra visiting many important cities, including St. Louis, Cincinnati, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Detroit, Louisville, Nashville and Memphis. The following season the same section of the country were visited and an equal number of concerts given. In the spring of 1901 a Festival Tour was made, the Orchestra being accompanied by a number of eminent soloists, and so successful were these festivals, both artistically and financially, that each season since, tours have been made, extending from Montreal, Canada, to San Antonio, Texas.

The season of 1902 the Orchestra made a tour to the Pacific coast, giving one hundred concerts, and visiting every important city in the west. Starting by way of St. Paul, Omaha and Denver where a three-day Music Festival was held; thence to Salt Lake City and the extreme northwest, appearing at Vancouver and Victoria, British Columbia, Tacoma, Seattle and Portland, thence south to San Francisco, where five concerts were given. The San Francisco Press spoke in the highest terms of the Orchestra, declaring nothing better had been heard in that city since the eighties when Theodore Thomas gave the well-remembered series in Mechanic's Pavilion. Concerts were given in Sacramento, San Jose and the Leland Stanford University at Palo Alto. Los Angeles was next visited, and a series of three concerts given, the Orchestra returning by way of El Paso, San Antonio, Galveston, Houston, Dallas and Kansas City.

During the season of 1903 among the important engagements filled was a series of eighteen concerts in a "Cycle of British Music Festivals," extending from Halifax to Vancouver, under the direction of Sir Alexander MacKenzie, and the management of Mr. Charles A. E. Harris. The towns visited included Toronto, London, Hamilton, Ottawa and Montreal. Under trying conditions the Orchestra made a most excellent impression, and was engaged for a Canadian tour the following season.

For the past four seasons the Orchestra has made extended tours to the principal Canadian cities, and on two occasions as far south and west as Texas. Many of the leading musical cities and festival centers have

visited, and one series given at the Chicago Auditorium. The attendance at this series was extremely gratifying and to such extent as to make it practically self-supporting.

In the spring of 1907 the Orchestra made a second tour to the Pacific coast, appearing at the principal points, as Salt Lake City, Sacramento, Leland Stanford University, University of California, San Francisco, Fresno, Los Angeles; returning via Tucson, the seat of University of Arizona, El Paso, Ft. Worth, Oklahoma City, and Kansas City, after which a number of May Music Festivals were filled.

The Orchestra, now in its ninth year, has been augmented to 65 members, and has been engaged for a third tour to the Pacific coast. The important Colorado points, Salt Lake City, Spokane, Pullman, the seat of the State College of Washington, Seattle, the University of Washington, Portland, University of Oregon at Eugene, has already secured the Orchestra. The important cities in California, Arizona and Texas and Kansas will be visited. The University of Illinois has engaged the Orchestra for this year's Festival, the fourth consecutive season; Knox College, at Galesburg, for the sixth engagement at that point.

Jan Van Oordt, the well-known Dutch violinist, will return to America and take up again the post of Concertmeister and Soloist. Franz Wagner remains with the Orchestra as first cellist and assistant conductor. Adolph Rosenbecker, the eminent musician and director, has been secured as conductor for another season.

A splendid Oratorio Quartet, consisting of Genevieve Clark Wilson, soprano; Rose L. Gannon, alto; John Miller, tenor, and Arthur Middleton, bass, will accompany the Orchestra on the present tour.

Prof. H. A. Howell, of Havana, Cuba, Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"As long ago as I can remember my mother was a faithful user and friend of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, but never in my life have I realized its true value until now," writes Prof. H. A. Howell, of Howell's American School, Havana, Cuba. "On the night of February 3rd our baby was taken sick with a very severe cold, the next day was worse and the following night his condition was desperate. He could not lie down and it was necessary to have him in the arms every moment. Even then his breathing was difficult. I did not think he would live until morning. At last I thought of my mother's remedy, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which we gave, and it afforded prompt relief, and now, three days later, he has fully recovered. Under the circumstances I would not hesitate a moment in saying that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and that only, saved the life of our dear little boy." For sale by Frank Hart and leading druggists.

Mr. William Campbell of McCreedy & Campbell's Millinery Store, 400 Washington street, corner Tenth, Portland, Oregon, was in town yesterday on business connected with their grand spring opening which takes place on March 19, 20 and 21.

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Anarchist Outrage and Reported Plots Discussed—Bath Breakfasts the Newest Fad—Diamond and Precious Stone Importations.

NEW YORK, Mar. 14.—On the sixth of next April New York, in a monster pageant, will celebrate the tenth anniversary of the advent of her first automobile, for it is just a single decade since the then ridiculed horseless carriages obtained a precarious foothold, or rather a wheel hold, in this city. The tremendous growth of its use, however, is evidenced by the fact that today there are regularly in operation on the city streets more than 22,000 autos valued at \$44,000,000. This tenth birthday of the auto will be one of the most remarkable celebrations which the city has ever known, resembling more than anything else a Mardi Gras carnival. It will extend through an entire week and will include a great variety of events. There will be automobile parades, races, hill climbing contests, tugs of war, dinners, dances, tournaments, tricks and everything else that can be imagined. There will be exhibitions of automobile squadrons belonging to single owners, for there are at least thirty men in the city who possess more than twenty autos apiece and more than 250 who find that at least ten cars are necessary to their needs. The most spectacular feature of all will be a night parade of more than 10,000 cars decorated with Japanese lanterns and separated into four divisions. First will come the early specimens and then in classified groups those of later vintages. Finally there will be a king and a

queen of the carnival. Incidentally the accident insurance companies are looking forward to a lively week and it is rumored that in honor of the occasion the price of gasoline will be advanced a cent or two.

That transatlantic liners a quarter of a mile long will shortly be seen in New York's harbor is no longer a dream of the imagination but a proven reality. Record breaking steamships have become so numerous of late that it is difficult to keep track of them. The performance of a 25 knot boat is already dimmed by the promise of one to make thirty knots, and the seven hundred foot liner considered as a leviathan a few weeks ago is now dwarfed by the announcement of a ship to exceed 1000 feet in length, for the construction of which preparations are already under way. Already too are marine experts outlining the quarter mile long liner whose arrival is only dependent on the completion of necessary channel harbor and docking facilities. That these monster ships when they arrive will greatly reduce the best running time is not expected but in every other way they will introduce innovations of an amazing character. They will have real daily papers and ticker service too for brokers who cannot afford to get out of touch with the market. Because of their great length they will be equipped either with diminutive trolley cars or moving side walks to carry passengers about the boat. Elevators will of course care for the vertical travel. There will be cable offices aboard to say nothing of afternoon concert, vaudeville performance and opera. There will be tailor shops, boot shops, haberdashers and jewelers' shops notions counters and facilities for stock trading. In short the quarter mile long liner will be in every respect a complete floating city—a marvel undreamed of either in size or equipment only a few years ago.

Father Knickerbocker is not sporting any diamonds at present for never since this city became a center for the gem trade have the imports of these precious stones fallen so low. For the five weeks just ended dealers here imported only \$379,974 worth of brill-

iants—a mere trifle when compared to the sum of \$4,535,175 representing the value of similar imports for the same period last year. There is little demand for these stones as a result of the panic although the pawn shops are filled with them. So far has this effect been felt that there is a noticeable diminution of the former glitter along Broadway in cafes and theaters. New York is literally diamond poor and anyone who has a few dollars tucked away in a stocking can pick up stones with surprising cheapness. But in the midst of all this "Diamond Jim" Brady, the Rajah of the Great White Way, continues to scintillate without diminution like a walking jewelry store window. The ostentation of this remarkable person who wears the stones which have made him famous, as would other persons common bone buttons, is to put it mildly, dazzling. Diamond studs, stick pins, cuff buttons, waist coat buttons, fobs and the like, are the least among his bediamonded possessions, among which are diamond h aded canes and umbrellas, diamond shoe buttons, diamond handled pocket knives and diamond set cigar and cigarette holders. He is the nearest approach to a walking diamond mine which this city knows, and his decorations of this sort are worth a large fortune. So numerous are his jewels indeed that he employs a "diamond valet" to do nothing but look after them.

The excitement throughout the country over anarchist outrages and reported plots has been reflected here during the week in a lively discussion of various immigration problems since most anarchists of the bomb-throwing kind are of foreign birth. The National Liberal Immigration League took up the subject at its meeting here and advocated the deportation of aliens who commit crime whether they have been in this country less than three years, as the law now reads, or longer. The League is also in favor of government aid for the distribution of laborers, both native or foreign born, from the congested districts of the big cities to regions where labor is more in demand.

PERSONAL MENTION

J. G. Johnson, of Seaside, was a business visitor in this city yesterday. Mrs. W. E. McAfee, who has been ill with la grippe is reported to be convalescing rapidly.

Dr. Linton came over from Warrenton yesterday on a business quest and returned on the evening train.

Mrs. Norman A. Marrs, formerly of this city, is reported to have just issued safely from a seriously operation for appendicitis at Seattle, and is recovering nicely.

For the Woman That's Fat

A Detroit physician says that the cheapest and safest mixture a fat woman who wants to get thin can use is one-half ounce Marmola (get it in the original half-ounce package), one-half ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic and three and one-half ounces Syrup Simplex. The proper amount to take is a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

These ingredients may be obtained from any druggist at small cost and make a combination that is not only excellent as a fat reducer, being able, it is claimed, to take off a pound a day without causing wrinkles, but is also a splendid help to the system as a whole, regulating the stomach and bowels (where the fat persons troubles begin), and clearing the skin of pimples and blotches. No exercise is required to help the remedy in its work and, best of all, no dieting is necessary while taking it—you can eat what you like.

17 on the Green—B. P. O. E.

HAVING ROUGH TRIP.

A message by wireless at 3 a. m. this morning was received from the Rose City and she reported that she was having a rough trip.

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